

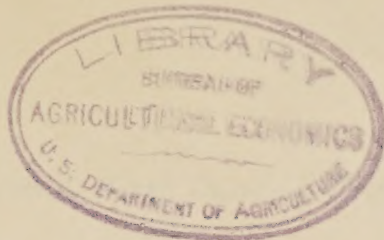
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON, D.C.

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February 9, 1934.



Dear Sir:

The enclosed Cotton Ginners' Marketing Agreement, formulated after many conferences with ginners, and due public hearing, has been tentatively approved by the Secretary and is now ready for final approval. Final approval awaits the signature of a sufficient number of individual ginners to agreements to warrant the Secretary in taking final action.

At the request of the ginners' association in your State, we are mailing you a copy of the proposed agreement. If you are in favor of this agreement, you should sign it and mail it immediately to the secretary of your association, whose name and address will be found in the attached list. It is the plan to have the National Ginners' Committee assemble these agreements, bring them to Washington, and file them for final action when such matters as the machinery clause and others are adjusted, as they will have to be to meet the changed situation. It is recognized, of course, that it is impractical to require the ginners to put in minimum equipment between now and the beginning of the harvest of the cotton crop for the present year. Other clarifications will also have to be made in the contract.

Your committee, as well as our group here in Washington, has worked diligently to develop a Ginners' Marketing Agreement that would meet the requirements of producers and ginners. If, therefore, you are in favor of an agreement of this type you should sign and forward the attached copy to the proper party at the earliest possible moment.

Sincerely yours,

C. A. Cobb

C. A. COBB, Chief,
Cotton Production Section,
Commodities Division.

Enclosure.



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